

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

JAMES CONTANT, MARTIN-HAN TRAN, CARLOS GONZALEZ, UGNIUS MATKUS, JERRY JACOBSON, and PAUL VERMILLION, on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATION; BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH, INC.; THE BANK OF TOKYO MITSUBISHI UFJ LTD.; BARCLAYS BANK PLC; BARCLAYS CAPITAL INC.; BNP PARIBAS GROUP; BNP PARIBAS NORTH AMERICA, INC.; BNP PARIBAS SECURITIES CORP.; BNP PARIBAS PRIME BROKERAGE, INC.; CITIGROUP INC., CITIBANK, N.A.; CITICORP; CITIGROUP GLOBAL MARKETS INC.; CREDIT SUISSE GROUP AG; CREDIT SUISSE AG; CREDIT SUISSE SECURITIES (USA) LLC; DEUTSCHE BANK AG; DEUTSCHE BANK SECURITIES INC.; THE GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP, INC.; GOLDMAN, SACHS & CO.; HSBC HOLDINGS PLC; HSBC BANK PLC; HSBC NORTH AMERICA HOLDINGS, INC.; HSBC BANK USA, N.A.; HSBC SECURITIES (USA) INC.; JPMORGAN CHASE & CO.; JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.; MORGAN STANLEY; MORGAN STANLEY & CO., LLC; MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INTERNATIONAL PLC; RBC CAPITAL MARKETS LLC; ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND GROUP PLC; RBS SECURITIES INC.; SOCIÉTÉ GÉNÉRALE S.A.; STANDARD CHARTERED BANK; UBS AG; UBS GROUP AG; and UBS SECURITIES LLC,

Defendants.

Case No. 17-CV-3139-LGS
Rel. 13-CV-7789-LGS

**NOTICE OF
APPEARANCE**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Andrew A. Ruffino, an attorney duly admitted to practice before this Court, hereby appears as counsel on behalf of defendants Citigroup Inc., Citicorp LLC, Citibank, N.A., and Citigroup Global Markets Inc. in the above-captioned action

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